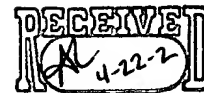


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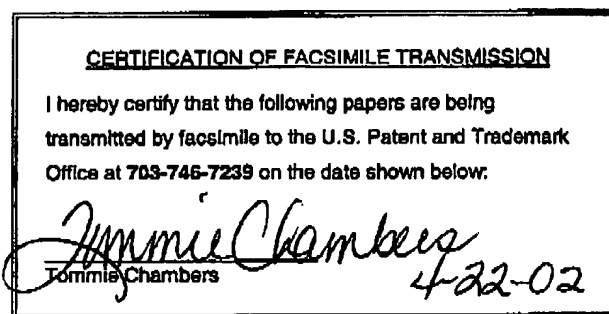
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Assistant Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2002 in connection with the above identified application, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.